Claims

We Claim:

- A tamper evident RFID tag, comprising:

 a tamper evident label material, with
 an adhesive on a back side, and

 an RFID Transponder adhered to said adhesive.
- The tag of claim 1, wherein:
 the tamper evident label material is a vinyl with a tensile and tear resistance such
 that the tamper evident label material one of tears and breaks upon an attempted removal
 from a substrate.
- The tag of claim 1, wherein: the tamper evident label material is 3M 7610 ScotchMark Destructible Vinyl.
- The tag of claim 1, further including:
 a release liner attached to said adhesive.
- The tag of claim 1, further including:
 a hologram on the label material.
- The tag of claim 1, further including: microprinting on the label material.
- A tamper evident RFID tag, comprising a label material, with

a silicone pattern and

an adhesive on a back side, and

an RF transponder adhered to said adhesive;

wherein separation of the tag from a substrate results in incomplete separation of the adhesive in the form of the silicone pattern.

8. The tag of claim 7, wherein:

the tamper evident label material is one of 3M 7866, 3M 7389 and 3M 7385.

9. The tag of claim 8, further including:

a hologram on the label material.

10. The tag of claim 9, further including:

microprinting on the label material.

11. A tamper evident RF transponder, comprising

a base film with a printed antenna and an integrated circuit chip on a front surface; the base film having propogation tear cuts whereby attempted removal of the RF transponder from a substrate causes the propogation tear cuts to sever a connection between the printed antenna and the integrated circuit chip.

- 12. A method of fabricating a tamper evident RFID tag, comprising the steps of: applying an adhesive to a back side of a tamper evident material, attaching an RF transponder to the adhesive.
- 13. The method of claim 12, further including the step of: applying a release liner to the adhesive.